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Applicant(s): Howard E. Rhodes et al.

Invention: AN OPTIMIZED PHOTODIODE PROCESS FOR IMPROVED TRANSFER GATE LEAKAGE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 14 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.